

# STATE OF WISCONSIN Division of Hearings and Appeals

In the Matter of

DECISION

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# PRELIMINARY RECITALS

Pursuant to a petition filed December 30, 2013, under Wis. Admin. Code § HA 3.03, to review a decision by the Kenosha County Human Service Department in regard to Child Care, a hearing was held on January 28, 2014, at Kenosha, Wisconsin. The record was held open post-hearing to allow the agency time to review information to determine whether the overpayment was still sustainable. On January 30, 2014 the agency contacted this administrative law judge to advise that the agency was no longer seeking the overpayment and that it deleted the overpayment claim from the system. On January 31, 2014 this administrative law judge contacted the petitioner to advise her of the agency's position. This Decision thus follows.

There is no issue for determination.

There appeared at that time and place the following persons:

PARTIES IN INTEREST:

Petitioner:



#### Respondent:

Department of Children and Families 201 East Washington Avenue Madison, Wisconsin 53703 By: Karen Mayer

> Kenosha County Human Service Department 8600 Sheridan Road Kenosha, WI 53143

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:

Kelly Cochrane Division of Hearings and Appeals

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioner (CARES # ) is a resident of Kenosha County.
- 2. The agency has deleted the child care overpayment claim # against petitioner.

# **DISCUSSION**

The agency provided evidence and agreed post-hearing that it has deleted the child care overpayment claim # against petitioner. As such, there is no issue for determination.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The matter is moot.

## THEREFORE, it is

### **ORDERED**

The petition for review herein is hereby dismissed.

## REQUEST FOR A REHEARING

This is a final administrative decision. If you think this decision is based on a serious mistake in the facts or the law, you may request a rehearing. You may also ask for a rehearing if you have found new evidence which would change the decision. Your request must explain what mistake the Administrative Law Judge made and why it is important or you must describe your new evidence and tell why you did not have it at your first hearing. If you do not explain these things, your request will have to be denied.

To ask for a rehearing, send a written request to the Division of Hearings and Appeals, P.O. Box 7875, Madison, WI 53707-7875. Send a copy of your request to the other people named in this decision as "PARTIES IN INTEREST." Your request for a rehearing must be received no later than 20 days after the date of the decision. Late requests cannot be granted.

The process for asking for a rehearing is in Wis. Stat. § 227.49. A copy of the statutes can be found at your local library or courthouse.

#### APPEAL TO COURT

You may also appeal this decision to Circuit Court in the county where you live. Appeals must be served and filed with the appropriate court no more than 30 days after the date of this hearing decision (or 30 days after a denial of rehearing, if you ask for one).

For purposes of appeal to circuit court, the Respondent in this matter is the Department of Children and Families. After filing the appeal with the appropriate court, it must be served on the Secretary of that Department, either personally or by certified mail. The address of the Department is: 201 East Washington Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin 53703. A copy should also be sent to the Division of Hearings and Appeals, 5005 University Avenue, Suite 201, Madison, WI 53705-5400.

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The appeal must also be served on the other "PARTIES IN INTEREST" named in this decision. The process for appeals to the Circuit Court is in Wis. Stat. §§ 227.52 and 227.53.

Given under my hand at the City of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, this 31st day of January, 2014

\sKelly Cochrane Administrative Law Judge Division of Hearings and Appeals



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The preceding decision was sent to the following parties on January 31, 2014.

Kenosha County Human Service Department Public Assistance Collection Unit Child Care Fraud